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TAGS: PINS, FR, BL, SP
SUBJECT: CAPTURE OF SUSPECT POLITICAL ASSASSINS

1. PARIS PRESS OF MAY 27 REPORTS THREE MEN ARRESTED IN
PARIS CARRYING ARMS SUBSEQUENTLY IDENTIFIED AS HAVING
BEEN USED IN THE ASSASSINATION OF BOLIVIAN AMBASSADOR
ZENTENO-AMAYO IN MAY 1976 AND THE ATTEMPTED ASSASSINA-
TION OF SPANISH ASSISTANT MILITARY ATTACHE, PLATA
VALLE, IN OCTOBER 1975. MEN ARRESTED IDENTIFIED AS
JEAN-PAUL GERARD, MICHEL LAPEYRE AND FREDERIC AURIAC,
ALL IN EARLY OR MID 20S. SEARCH OF CAR AND HOMES
REVEALED EXTENSIVE AND VARIED ARSENAL.

2. ONE OF ARMS COLLECTED ALSO USED THIS MARCH IN
ASSASSINATION OF PIERRE OVERNEY, GUARD AT RENAULT PLANT
WHO HAD KILLED MAOIST DEMONSTRATOR IN 1972.

3. GROUP CLAIMED BE MEMBERS "ARMED NUCLEUS OF POPULAR
AUTONOMY", A LEFTIST FRACTION, HERETOFORE UNKNOWN TO
EMBASSY. PRESS CLAIMS AUTHORITIES ARE IN CONTACT WITH
WEST GERMAN POLICE TO DETERMINE IF THERE INTERNATIONAL
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